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CalWORKs Program Caseload by Category July 1997 - December 2002

MONTHLY PERCENT CHANGE

			%		%		%		%		%		%		%		%		%		%		%		%
FY		Jul	Chg	Aug	Chg	Sep	Chg	Oct	Chg	Nov	Chg	Dec	Chg	Jan	Chg	Feb	Chg	Mar	Chg	Apr	Chg	May	Chg	Jun	Chg
97/98	Total	776,022	-1.6%	769,904	-0.8%	756,950	-1.7%	751,262	-0.8%	740,221	-1.5%	732,304	-1.1%	727,695	-0.6%	717,288	-1.4%	714,853	-0.3%	711,228	-0.5%	699,164	-1.7%	689,220	-1.4%
	FG	643,297	-1.2%	638,630	-0.7%	629,908	-1.4%	626,397	-0.6%	617,494	-1.4%	611,530	-1.0%	604,914	-1.1%	595,270	-1.6%	592,127	-0.5%	588,373	-0.6%	579,020	-1.6%	571,308	-1.3%
	U	132,725	-3.8%	131,274	-1.1%	127,042	-3.2%	124,865	-1.7%	122,727	-1.7%	120,774	-1.6%	122,781	1.7%	122,018	-0.6%	122,726	0.6%	122,855	0.1%	120,144	-2.2%	117,912	-1.9%
98/99	Total	675,540	-2.0%	669,237	-0.9%	656,261	-1.9%	653,003	-0.5%	646,402	-1.0%	641,359	-0.8%	639,059	-0.4%	629,027	-1.6%	630,301	0.2%	626,534	-0.6%	617,872	-1.4%	607,278	-1.7%
	FG	561,526	-1.7%	556,858	-0.8%	547,104	-1.8%	544,402	-0.5%	538,769	-1.0%	534,491	-0.8%	530,933	-0.7%	522,071	-1.7%	522,177	0.0%	518,837	-0.6%	511,922	-1.3%	504,191	-1.5%
	U	114,014	-3.3%	112,379	-1.4%	109,157	-2.9%	108,601	-0.5%	107,633		,	-0.7%	108,126		106,956	-1.1%	108,124	1.1%	107,697	-0.4%	105,950	-1.6%	103,087	-2.7%
99/00	Total	606,485	-0.1%	599,784	-1.1%	591,998		587,947	-0.7%	579,718	-1.4%	574,696	-0.9%	573,202	-0.3%	565,452	-1.4%	567,549	0.4%	559,885	-1.4%	548,382	-2.1%	545,958	-0.4%
	FG	503,939	0.0%	499,411	-0.9%	494,344	-1.0%																		
	1P							374,624		356,761	-4.8%	348,682	-2.3%	345,140		356,337	3.2%	354,395	-0.5%	, .	-1.1%	339,459	-3.1%	337,221	-0.7%
	CO	100 510	0.50/	400.070	0.40/	07.054	0.70/	146,930		157,151	7.0%	160,875	2.4%	162,387	0.9%	143,286	-11.8%	146,687	2.4%	143,154	-2.4%	145,349	1.5%	145,570	0.2%
	U 2P	102,546	-0.5%	100,373	-2.1%	97,654	-2.7%	66,393		65,806	-0.9%	65,139	-1.0%	65,675	0.8%	65,829	0.2%	66 467	1.0%	66,250	-0.3%	63,574	-4.0%	63,167	-0.6%
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00/01	10tai	529,940 307.956	-2.9% -8.7%	522,009 304.938	-1.5% -1.0%	520,050 302,946	-0.4% -0.7%	523,933 311,326	2.8%	522,574 302,324	-0.3% -2.9%	520,660 298,400	-0.4% -1.3%	517,592 293,160		511,307 299,351	-1.2% 2.1%	512,571 297,631	-0.6%	. ,	-0.2% 0.2%	501,598 292,597	-1.9% -1.9%	505,298 293,997	0.7%
	CO	167.700	15.2%	164,432	-1.0%	164,783		159,520	-3.2%	167,811	5.2%	170,095	1.4%	173,458		158,808	-8.4%	160,509	1.1%		-1.0%	156,351	-1.6%	158,147	1.1%
	2P	. ,	-14.1%	52,639	-3.0%	52,321	-0.6%	53,087	1.5%	52,439	-1.2%	52,165	-0.5%	50,974		53,148	4.3%	54,431	2.4%	,	0.2%	52,650		53,154	
01/02	Total	500,482	-1.0%	499,169	-0.3%	497.818		497,439	-0.1%	502,019	0.9%		0.5%	503,738	-0.1%	505.132	0.3%	506,236	0.2%		-0.5%	499.266	-0.9%	496,783	_
01702	1P	291,330	-0.9%	293,344	0.7%	292,714		291.691	-0.3%	293,110	0.5%	284,965	-2.8%	279,949	-1.8%	277,850	-0.7%	268,149	-3.5%	,	-0.6%	261,938		257,788	
	CO	158.329	0.1%	156.292	-1.3%	155.175	-0.7%	155.643	0.3%	158.110	1.6%	157,682	-0.3%	160,844	2.0%	161,841	0.6%	168.181	3.9%		-1.4%	164,473	-0.8%	163,006	
	2P	50.823	-4.4%	49,533	-2.5%	49.929		50.105	0.4%	50,799	1.4%	51,468	1.3%	51,311	-0.3%	51,905	1.2%	51,922	0.0%	52.053	0.3%	50.856	-2.3%	50,258	
	TO			-,								10,183		11,634		13,536	16.3%	17,984	32.9%	19,405	7.9%	21,999	13.4%		17.0%
02/03	Total	488,382	-1.7%	490,928	0.5%	486,446	-0.9%	481,275	-1.1%	483,344	0.4%	482,071	-0.3%												
	1P	254,301	-1.4%	254,281	0.0%	250,437	-1.5%	247,573	-1.1%	248,213	0.3%	245,499	-1.1%												
	CO	157,083	-3.6%	158,149	0.7%	157,467	-0.4%	156,732	-0.5%	156,272	-0.3%	157,872	1.0%												
	2P	48,785	-2.9%	49,012	0.5%	48,256	-1.5%	46,746	-3.1%	47,618	1.9%	47,199	-0.9%												
	TO	28,213	9.6%	29,486	4.5%	30,286	2.7%	30,224	-0.2%	31,241	3.4%	31,501	0.8%												
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TRENDS

- The number of CalWORKs cases decreased 0.3% between November 2002 and December 2002.
 - 1.1% decrease in One-Parent cases
 - 1.0% increase in Child-Only cases
 - 0.9% decrease in Two-Parent cases
- The number of CalWORKs cases decreased 4.4% between December 2001 and December 2002.
 - 13.8% decrease in One-Parent cases
 - 0.1% increase in Child-Only cases
 - 8.3% decrease in Two-Parent cases
- The overall caseload has declined 48% since March 1995, the highest point in California's caseload.
- California's caseload has declined 43% since December 1, 1996, when California's Federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program began.
- California's caseload has declined 34% since January 1, 1998, when California's CalWORKs Program began.
- California's caseload has declined 18% since October 1, 1999, when California's Separate State Program began.